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Help For The Forgotten Man Will Be Help For Britain And Should Speed Return Of Peace

"All farmers are entitled to a better deal," says Harry Scott, president of the Ontario Federation of Agriculture.

"The farmer is the forgotten man just now and the farmer's present handicaps and hardships will show up later in a serious lack of food supplies," declares Mr. Scott.

Mr. Scott, who is also president of the Ontario Concentrated Milk Producers' Association, declares that farmers are going to turn to more profitable lines than the production of milk, and that "there is bound to be a milk shortage."

For two reasons, there should be immediate federal government action to improve the farmer's reward, through bonusing or price-fixing.

One is to assure production of the food which Britain expects from Canada to carry her through the fight against Hitler, and to help build up the food surplus for the needy peoples of Europe which Professor Gilbert Jackson says "might well shorten the struggle, not by months, but years."

Second is justice to an important section of our population. One-third of our population — the farming community — now receive one-tenth of the national income.

Prime Minister King says that agriculture is the war's first casualty. Action now to improve the farmer's position in a radical way would be an earnest of the different kind of world which we all want and hope for after this war is over.

Town people should be conscious of the farmer's plight and should help him fight his way back to a Canadian standard of living.

Nonagenarian Had Sons In Four Armies In Last War

MRS. AGNES CARRICK IS REMARKABLE LADY, LOVES TRAVEL

Miss Anna Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis, Yonge St., a member of the staff of St. Thomas vocational school, is dietitian at a large hotel at Parry Sound for the summer.

GOES TO PARRY SOUND

Mrs. Agnes Carrick, Gorham St., will celebrate her 90th birthday next month. She has four of her children living right near her, and another in Aurora.

Mrs. Carrick lives with her son, Joseph, Newmarket express driver, while Andrew Carrick, Mrs. H. M. Gladman (Christina) and Mrs. Agnes Montgomery, other members of her family, are also Newmarket residents. Another daughter, Mrs. Jean Morton, lives in Aurora.

This is unusual because Mrs. Carrick was born in Falkirk, Scotland, and did not come to Newmarket, Canada, until she was 70 years of age. She has lived here since, except for a visit of about a year's duration back to Scotland, made when she was 78 years old.

Attogether Mrs. Carrick had 14 children, eight of whom are still living. A son and a daughter live in South Africa, and another son lives in Scotland.

During the last war Mrs. Carrick had three sons and a son-in-law serving for the British, but all in different forces.

PEPPER LAW

Calvin Fawns, Everett Giles, Edith Harvey, Lorne Umphrey, William Warren, Jimmy West.

SUTTON WEST

Joan Bourchier (hon.), Gordon Brady (hon.), Ada Brown, Jean Brown (hon.), Ruth Carmichael, Margaret Chapman, Jim Cookburn, Evelyn Hibbert, Eileen Hill, Robert Hillaby, Billy Holler (hon.), Dolly Florence Hunter, James Keir (hon.), Orville Knights;

Margaret Lance (hon.), John Lyons, Helen McLaughlin (hon.), Freda Methral, Ethel Nelson (hon.), Jim Noble (hon.), Dorothy Powell (hon.), Jean Prosser Phyllis Sedore (hon.), Billie Shadwick, Phyllis Shantz, Betty Shaw (hon.), Elva Stevenson, Norma Stevenson (hon.), Frank Thompson (hon.), Eva Tomlinson (hon.), Roy Tomlinson, Bruce Travis, Geoff Whitney (hon.), Grace Whittaker (hon.), James Wight, Norman Willoughby, Donald Winch (hon.), Earl Winch (hon.).

HOLD DOUBLES TOURNEY

There will be an open doubles tournament at the Newmarket bowling greens on Monday evening.

PLAY AT KESWICK

The Newmarket orchestra, under the direction of H. A. Jackson, played at the Keswick garden party last night.

Find Recalls Family Of Mazo De La Roche

An aluminum plaque the size of a 50-cent piece picked up near the town dump on Queen St. will recall memories to some of the old-timers.

Bob Rush, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rush, picked up the plaque, which says on one side, "Adequate protection for Canada, Public ownership, 1904," and on the other, "Elect Roche, the Border candidate, God save the King."

This was Frank (Francis James) Roche, uncle of Mazo de la Roche, Canadian novelist. Mr. Roche ran against Sir William Mulock and was defeated by a majority of 979.

Strand Announces New Fifth Column Serial

The "Fifth Column," vicious new military technique, forms the basis for "The Spider Returns," timely chapter-play at the Strand theatre every Saturday, commencing Saturday, July 19.

With Warren Hull featured in the title role, Columbia's thrilling serial has been hailed as a warning to saboteurs planning their foul work here in America! Portraying the celebrated crime-smasher of "The Spider" magazine stories, Hull is seen as a conscientious American citizen out to trap slyish fifth columnists operating right on this continent.

In his efforts to smash the gigantic sabotage plot that has been developed, it is necessary for Hull to play an amazing triple role. In addition to being Richard Wentworth, polished socialite, the young star also disguises himself as "Blinky McQuade," one-eyed, shuffling underworld habitué, and as the Masked Spider, dreaded scourge of the underworld.

The management of the Strand is planning various contests for boys and girls in conjunction with the showing of the serial and it is suggested that you watch this paper next week for further information on how you can participate.

STORM UPROOTS TREES

An unusual storm swept a 50-mile area between Beaverton and Sharon on Monday. Two trees near Queensville were uprooted. One tree tore down 17 lines of telephone service, disrupting all East Gwillimbury township service.

Near the farm of Stanley Eves a tree was struck to the ground by lightning.

WILL OPEN NEW ROADS

The opening of several new roads in the Holland marsh district is contemplated by King township council. According to Reeve Thomas McMurphy the provincial government will share in the undertaking on a dollar-for-dollar basis.

Rev. Dr. W. D. Mackie will conduct the funeral service at St. John's church at 9:30 a.m. D.S.T. Saturday. Interment will be in St. John's cemetery.

GIRL DROWNS TRYING TO RESCUE YOUNGSTER

Nineteen-year-old Grace Finnegan of Toronto was drowned at Muselman's Lake last week in an effort to rescue her nine-year-old nephew, Donald Mowat of York township. The boy was brought to safety.

RAINS ARE WELCOME

Heavy rains fell in the Newmarket district on Monday, although some spots missed the welcome moisture. Kettleby, for instance, didn't get its share of the "manna." The rain was worth thousands of dollars to farmers.

The Era will be mailed to soldiers for half the regular subscription price, that is, \$1 a year.

NEWMARKET MAN DIES WHILE SLEEPING IN HIS CAR

Famed as a sportsman and athlete, and a popular member of one of Newmarket's best known families, Ernest A. ("Turk") Doyle, died Wednesday evening.

He had been on a business trip which had taken him around Lake Simcoe and at Jackson's Point some younger people who accompanied him suggested that they would like to dance for a while. Mr. Doyle said he would sleep in the car while they danced.

They left him at 10 o'clock and about 11 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Donaldson, passing the car, noticed him there and soon saw that he had died in his sleep. His head was resting on his left side and it was thought that perhaps this had placed undue pressure on his heart. Dr. O. M. Beattie was called.

Born in Newmarket 54 years ago, Ernest Doyle was the son of Ellen Haskett and Stephen Doyle. He starred in lacrosse, hockey, baseball, running and all outdoor sports.

He was a life member of the Canadian Lacrosse Association, and at one time coached the Wallaceburg lacrosse team. He coached a Kirkland Lake hockey team and Paris intermediate hockey team when they won the O.H.A. championship. "Turk" Doyle was also known as a popular lacrosse and hockey official.

Mr. Doyle was not married. During the last war he served in the Canadian air force, but did not get overseas.

Mr. Doyle was a stockkeeper

ENTRANCE RESULTS

NEWMARKET

Ruth Armitage, Barbara Attill (hon.), Madeline Babcock (hon.), Marjorie Bailie, Eileen Barnes (hon.), Blaine Bender, Jean Binns (hon.), Grant Blight, Elizabeth Brammer (hon.), Marguerite Brice, Murray Brilling, Edward Brown, Glen Brown; Lois Climpson (hon.), Betty Cooper (hon.), Pauline Crocker (hon.), Margaret E. Cross (hon.), Tommy Dales, Helen Darrach, Beryl Davis, Donald Davis (hon.), John Edwards (hon.), Kenneth Edwards (hon.), Irene Farren, Margaret Fraser (hon.), Clayton Hare, Wallace Hare, Patricia Hargreaves (hon.), Mae Hisey, Blanche Howse (hon.), Donald King (hon.), Marion Klees (hon.), Danny Kmet, Orla Larsen, Dorothy Lee (hon.), Dorothy Lepard, Joan Liscoumb (hon.), Lois Long (hon.), Olga Lundy, Marilyn MacInnis (hon.), Wayne Manning (hon.), Kathleen Marwood, Michael McCaffrey, Phyllis McComb, Tom McHale (hon.), Irene McNichol (hon.), Tom McRae (hon.), John McTavish, Pauline Middlebrook, George Milligan, Mary Moore (hon.).

Margaret Newton, Bob Osborne (hon.), Lowell Palmer, William Park (hon.), Bruce Parker, June Patterson (hon.), Russell Pegg, Doris Margaret Proctor (hon.), Margaret Jane Proctor, Beverley Ruddock (hon.), Doris Rush:

Bernice Scott, Doreen Shropshire, Betty Skinner (hon.), Harold Smart, Betty Squires, Dorothy Thompson (hon.), Margaret Thompson (hon.), Gordon VandenBerg (hon.), Beth Watson (hon.), Ruth Wilmot (hon.), Doris Woodcock, Helen Wother-spoon, Bette Wright, Francis Yale, Lillian Zogalo.

BOOK TELLS OF CARE TO BE GIVEN BABY

"There is a valuable book called 'The Baby' issued by the Ontario department of health, and may be had free of charge at the office of the local medical officer of health," Dr. J. H. Wesley, M.O.H., asked The Era to remind the public this week.

START ON MAIN ST. WORK IS NOT LIKELY AT MOMENT

Although money was budgeted for an experimental widening of Main St. this year, no action is in sight at the moment. The work awaits the removal of power poles from the section of the street affected, and the light department employees are tied up with other work at present.

Frank Courtney has again accepted the chairmanship, an assurance that the carnival will be a success, both as entertainment for the public and as a money-maker for children's welfare work.

Fred Thompson will act as chairman of a grounds and booth committee, which will relieve the general committee of a difficult job that has to be done at the last minute just when other details are demanding attention.

Substantial prizes will be offered to the holders of lucky admission tickets.

SIMCOE EDITOR SEES YORK COUNTY WONDERS

The news-minded business manager of the Orillia Packet and Times, J. R. Hale, joined the York county Jersey club's annual outing yesterday, which took the form of a tour of interesting spots in the county.

W. M. Cockburn, agricultural representative, took the group from Eaton Hall farm, through the scenic hills of Glenville, to the Vivian forests, Muselman's Lake (for dinner), south through splendid Markham township farms to Donaldson farm, where the tour was brought to a conclusion.

NAME CHIEF CONSTABLE

Austin Yake of Stouffville was the new chief constable, appointed by Whitburn council last week as chief constable, to succeed the late John Williamson, who served for 16 years.

GOES TO HALIFAX

Flight-Sergeant Wm. Pipher, who has been stationed at Carberry, Man., is home on a week's leave. Following his leave, Flight-Sgt. Pipher will report at Halifax, N.S.

Superintendent Hands Town Resignation

C. C. Rachar, town light and water superintendent, has put his resignation in the hands of the town. It has not yet reached the town council for action.

Mr. Rachar told The Era that he expected to leave at the end of July. As the town council has no further meetings scheduled until August, it is possible that the resignation will not reach the council until after Mr. Rachar has left.

It is understood that the resignation was tendered some time ago, but no action was taken on it. Mr. Rachar is believed to have resigned because he can obtain more remunerative employment elsewhere.

L. R. Coupland, pastor of the Newmarket Gospel Tabernacle, is being ordained this evening at 8 p.m., at the Tabernacle, by the Associated Gospel Churches of Canada, of which the local church is a member.

Coming Events

Wednesday, July 23—St. John's annual garden party of St. John's parish, Newmarket.

Newmarket's Victory Loan Cup Is Running Over, Citizens Take Honors, Pupil Wins Essay Contest



Newmarket not only set up something of a record by subscribing just about five times its quota in Victory bonds, but a Newmarket girl took first place in the Victory loan essay contest for Ontario elementary schools.

The winner, Eileen Jackson, daughter of Principal and Mrs. H. A. Jackson, is 11 years old (though almost 12) and a pupil at Stuart Scott school. The subject of the essay contest was "Why we must beat Hitler and how Victory bonds will help."

Her prize is a \$50 Victory bond. Toronto pupils won second and third prizes.

Photo by Budd Studio

Men Needed For Active Service, Message Declares

Colorful ceremony takes place beside Fairy Lake

HAS 85TH BIRTHDAY

Daniel Hills celebrated his 85th birthday on Saturday. A sister and three brothers, also some nieces and nephews, called on him during the day.

GIFTS TO LIONS FUND HELP U. K. CHILDREN

Give generously and give now to the Lions British Child War Victims' fund.

Every cent goes to the old country to be spent on youngsters who have been injured, impoverished or orphaned by the rain of bombs on Britain's cities and villages.

Make your contribution confidently, in the knowledge that the money will be wisely spent under the direction of Queen Elizabeth.

If you are planning a bazaar or other event in aid of this fund, let The Era know so that help may be given with publicity and pictures.

H. E. Lambert and H. M. Gladman are acting as treasurer and secretary of a local subscription list for this fund. Every gift will be acknowledged in the local newspapers.

Can you pass this challenge by?

QUEEN ELIZABETH FUND Previously acknowledged \$58.00

SEES UNCLE SAM
GETTING INTO WAR

Thomas E. Gray of Hooksett, New Hampshire, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Annie Ough. Mr. Gray is planning his annual fishing trip on Friday, with his nephew, Cameron Ough, Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ough, Newmarket.

George Gray of Winnipeg, who usually joins his brother in an annual fishing contest this year,

"The United States is heading toward war," Mr. Gray thought.

CALLING ALL CAMPERS!

Will all members of the C.G.I.T. who wish to go to camp please register with Lois Geer before July 15? The senior camp is from July 28 to Aug. 6, and the intermediate camp is Aug. 6 to Aug. 15.

Editor Tells Of Town's Assistance To Britain

Newmarket gave \$2,300 with a population of 3,700, C. O. Knowles, editor-in-chief of the Toronto Evening Telegram, told a huge banquet in his honor at the Royal York hotel on Monday evening.

Speakers were Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, chairman, Rt. Hon. Malcolm MacDonald, British high commissioner to Canada,

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THURSDAY, JULY 10TH, 1941

WILLINGLY ACCEPTED

There was extra bookkeeping in many an office last week as unemployment insurance dues became payable. And there was pain in many a pay envelope as the new deductions coincided with the increased defence tax dues. Employers too felt the pinch of contributions to unemployment insurance.

There seems to be general acceptance of the new scheme. There are no harsh critics so far as we know. The only criticism can be for failure to start the insurance scheme years ago.

There is seeming injustice to those employers who, by the nature of their business, provide steady employment regardless of business conditions, to employees in steady-employment businesses, and to those employees of other firms who through their indispensability have steady positions for the rest of their lives.

It is short-sighted, however, for employer or employee to think of what he pays in terms of benefits to himself. Employers who never have to "lay off" an employee and employees who never draw benefits will still benefit from the scheme, and their own payments, through the greater business stability that will result from the scheme.

For that reason, we think that civil servants and municipal employees should be included in the scheme just as well as the many small businesses whose number of employees does not vary in good times or bad.

MONEY MORE PRECIOUS THAN LIVES AND LIMBS?

There are so many advocates of conscription of men for military service that it must have something to commend it. It is said that conscription is the fairest way to select men for the armed forces. The suggestion is that voluntary enlistment brings forth the unselfish but doesn't touch the selfish. There may be something in that, and yet the fact remains that that argument beggars the question. We start with our conclusion. We are really thinking in this fashion: "Those who volunteer for military service are less selfish than those who don't. Therefore voluntary enlistment draws the unselfish and noble into the army and leaves behind the selfish slackers."

There is another way of looking at it. Voluntary enlistment is not unfair, because it takes those who want to serve in the armed forces and leaves those who don't. Those who enlist to help their fellow men, and not just out of the desire for change, excitement or adventure, want to enlist. Conscription, on the other hand, takes those who don't want to be soldiers, and possibly therefore are not fitted to be soldiers, and leaves out some who do want to be soldiers and who possibly therefore would make excellent soldiers.

But all this discussion about fairness is only a discussion as to a method of deciding which young men shall serve. It presupposes that the young men must serve and that it is their inherited right and duty to bear the burden of war. Men in their twenties may make better soldiers than men in their thirties and early forties, but that isn't the only reason that we all point at the young man and say: "It is your duty to enlist." The older groups have attained positions of influence, and as newspaper editors, business men, and politicians we are able to "gang up" on the young man and force him to get us out of the mess that we got ourselves into.

It is really callous for the older generations to thrust the younger into the battle-line without themselves making an equivalent offering. Is it their thought that it is better for young men to lose their lives than for older men to lose their economic security or to be themselves physically endangered?

It seems to us that men who are not themselves liable for military service should endeavor to look at the situation through the eyes of young men. Let them turn their editorial chairs or parliamentary seats over to young men or let them use their positions of influence as young men would use them. Do young men favor conscription, or do they feel that voluntary enlistment is better, fairer?

Or let those who urge upon young men the supreme unselfishness of risking their lives show similar unselfishness. Let them give the money that they are lending the government. Let them give up their golf and their amusements and their luxuries and leisure and go to work according to their own ability to promote the war effort. Let business men who thrust young men forward give up their own profits. Let them live on a soldier's fare and a soldier's wage. Let them enter the public forum with a clear conscience and a beamless eye.

War is no longer a gay adventure. Soldiering is no longer a profession. It is not a trade and a means of livelihood. No person can lightly send another into that walk. No person should send another in without making a great sacrifice himself.

We take this war too much for granted. We don't realize how awful it is. We don't realize to what a brink we have come. The times call for desperate measures. As we call upon young men to risk their lives, and at least to give years out of their lives, we should call upon others to give up a major part of their accumulated wealth, for use to fight the war with and to give the soldiers who return a financial start in the world.

Too many people are still making money and improving their position in the world while young men are losing the best years of their lives, and are preparing to risk their lives in battle. If our civilian population were called upon to make real financial sacrifices, there would be no trouble getting volunteers by the thousands. If wealthy persons had to turn over a substantial part of their property to the state, and if all had to make similar economic sacrifices, according to their means, there would be a steady stream of recruits for military service.

As the situation stands, young men must not only make the full sacrifice by themselves, but if they are fortunate enough to return in good health they must either join the ranks of the unemployed or, if they are more fortunate, settle down to pay the interest on the war debt that has made other Canadians prosperous.

Conscription may be the most effective method of getting soldiers if the sacrifice is to be one-sided. It would be fair and justifiable, but unnecessary, if the effort were shouldered as evenly as possible by all ages and all classes in the country. Is one man's life to be offered and another's bank account spared?

IN FAVOR OF BEVERAGE ROOMS

With the voting on the beverage room question not to take place until Dec. 1, people will have lots of time to think it over, and make up their minds what will be best for the town.

Nor can there be much doubt about the outcome. Although many people will honestly decide that a beverage room would be advantageous to the town, many more, we think, will reach a different conclusion. That is natural, for there are only two or three arguments for a beverage room, and there are so many arguments against one (or several).

There are arguments in favor of a beverage room. Lots of people like to drink beer, just as other people like soft-drinks and ice cream, and it is not entirely unreasonable that there should be some place where they can drop in and have a glass of beer without having to buy half a dozen pints through a brewer's agent.

Then again the sale of beverage alcohol is still recognized as a legal means of making a livelihood, and there are people who would like to help the owners of the town's one hotel by giving them that right.

There are other people who think that a beverage room would bring business to the town, and that is admitted to be a good thing.

We can't think at the moment of any other plausible arguments in favor of a beverage room. When we hear others we propose to bring them to the attention of our readers so that they may digest and sift them. Of course we hear other arguments which we think lacking in merit. For instance, there is some illegal sale of beer in the town, and some people argue that a beverage room or rooms would eliminate bootleggers. But we are told that it doesn't work out that way. Beverage rooms create a trade for bootleggers after beverage room hours.

Some people too go astray when they see brewers' trucks in the town. They jump to the conclusion that that beer is going to a bootlegger's. Perhaps some of it does get there, but, as we understand it, most of that beer comes into town legally and legitimately for legitimate use in private homes, and is accounted for by written orders placed through brewers' agents or possibly direct to the brewers. That is perfectly legal, is open to any citizen, and makes it impossible for anyone to argue that their god-given right to consume alcoholic beverages (or to eat a peck of dirt) is greatly interfered with in Newmarket.

As a matter of fact, we have heard an estimate, possibly not far out, that people within the municipality spend \$1,000 a week on alcoholic beverages. Assuming that that is correct, we wouldn't be surprised to hear a guess that \$900 or more of that \$1,000 is spent legally.

We have heard another estimate that if Newmarket voted in favor of the sale of beer and wine, which would mean probably the opening of two or more beverage rooms and a liquor store, Newmarket's purchases would jump to \$2,000 or \$3,000 a week.

A FRIENDLY HINT TO THE P.M.G.

Hon. W. P. Mulock, postmaster-general, is to be congratulated on his re-election as president of the York County Veterans Association. The Era carried this news last week, but this week we glean additional details from the Stouffville Tribune, that excellent newspaper, which says "it took less time to return Hon. Bill Mulock as president than it takes to tell it."

We also learn from the Tribune that it took the "Hon. Bill" less time to return to Ottawa "than it takes to tell it." Col. Mulock "flew down from Ottawa, spent a couple of hours with the boys, and then returned via airlines to his office at the capital that same evening." The Tribune says "Col. Mulock confided to us that he was not only looking after his own department, but had two other cabinet positions to fill for a few days during the absence of other ministers."

Nevertheless, we suggest to the "Hon. Bill" that he should plan to visit his riding at an early date and spend a couple of weeks here. Even a cabinet minister should keep in touch with his riding. When examination time comes again, "home-work" will be found to count for more than desk-work.



CHIPS AND MERRY VISIT A HANGING HOME

By RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"Mr. and Mrs. Baltimore Oriole are very quiet these days," Young Chips, the little Black-capped Chickadee, observed to his mate. "I heard a few snatches of song from one of them last evening, but other than that I've scarcely heard them lately."

"They must have a young family to keep them extra busy, I think," said Merry. "My guess is that the children are not out of the nest yet, and you know how that ties the parents down."

I feel so much freer now that ours are out and flying around, although in many ways it is a more worrisome time than the earlier stage."

"Yes, only yesterday Nutty Nuthatch was saying to me that the parents' easiest time is when the little ones are still quite helpless and dependent," Young Chips remarked.

"It's when they get out into the world that life becomes dangerous for them and anxious for the mother and father."

"Let's go and see if we can find the Orioles and see how they are," suggested Merry. "I think I know just about where their nest is, as I've seen one or the other of them flashing by occasionally. In fact, I suspect that it's in this thick-foliated tree right over here," she said, leading the way as she spoke.

"Let's just look in this tree, because I suspect it's right here somewhere," the Chickadee lady said when they had reached the spot she had in mind. "But we'd better not scare them. Hello, Mr. and Mrs. Oriole!" she called out cheerfully.

"We were just wondering how everything is with you folks? Is your nest near . . . ? Oh, I see it right this minute," she interrupted herself, as there was no sign of Mr. and Mrs. Oriole. "What a perfectly lovely hanging cradle it is! Just look at the way it is woven cleverly to the branches so that it swings in the wind."

"Yes, it's a beautiful piece of workmanship," said Young Chips, "but I wouldn't give one feather for it in comparison with our type of nest. What if there were a hurricane—why it might get blown right away. And besides, I should think that that constant swinging in the breeze would be bad for the babies' digestion."

"On the other hand, it might be just the thing to put them to sleep," mused Merry. "Maybe that's why the Orioles build it that way. All the same, I quite agree with you that it's no way to bring up a family. Oh, here's Mrs. Oriole now, with a mouthful of food for the children, so we mustn't say anything against her methods of child care."

"What a fine hanging nest you have, Mrs. Oriole," chirped Young Chips politely to the

nest.

"It's all very well to admire someone else's babies," Young Chips told Merry firmly, as they flew home again, "but when it comes to admiring her husband, too, then I think you're going too far."

"Nonsense," Merry replied, equally firmly.

"That Oriole gentleman is so good-looking that everyone thinks he's simply gorgeous, and why shouldn't they say so. However, I'm sure his disposition isn't half so friendly and cheerful as yours, my dear," she added with a smile. "After all, there's no one just like a Chickadee when it comes to good spirits."

"That's better," Young Chips muttered, somewhat more happily.

25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, July 7, 1916

Mrs. Allan Howard was visiting

in Hamilton last week.

Miss Rena Muir is visiting Miss Gilroy at Wilcox Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Irwin spent

the weekend at Alliston.

Miss Ronan and Mrs. D. Lloyd

visited in Aurora on Sunday.

Miss Dunn of Toronto visited

her mother for two or three

days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Staley and

family spent the holiday at Bond Lake.

Mrs. Isaac Silver and Mrs.

Stocking visited in Waubaushene

last week.

Some 200 passengers aboard

the river boat, Rapids Prince,

spent Saturday night stranded on

the St. Lawrence River after the

boat ran on a reef in the Lachine

Rapids. It was considered too

dangerous to remove the passen-

gers by means of small boats,

in the darkness.

The sinking of a large Italian

cruiser, three Axis supply ships

and the crippling of a smaller

Italian merchant cruiser in the

Mediterranean were announced by

the British admiralty on Sunday.

R.A.F. bombers sweeping the

North Sea on Sunday sank four

German patrol ships. Other

bombers struck inland on north-

ern France.

The fourth of July holiday

weekend in the United States

saw 403 accidental deaths. The

majority were traffic fatalities,

but other causes of death in-

cluded fireworks' explosions,

drownings and airplane acci-

dents.

Two farmers, one in eastern

Ontario and one in central

Ontario, were killed by lightning

on Monday.

Norman Sommerville, K.C.,

Toronto lawyer, vice-president

of the Sterling Trust Corpora-

tion, and chairman of the Cana-

dian Red Cross Society, died of

a heart attack last Friday.

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POLICE COURT

**Highway Drunks Break
Jail Doors And Windows**

Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe fined Harry A. Carduff \$10 and costs or ten days, and Norman Holmes and Joseph Ross \$15 and costs or 15 days, on charges of vagrancy, in Newmarket police court last Thursday. The three Toronto men pleaded guilty to the charges.

Harry Carduff and Norman Holmes, who also pleaded guilty to damaging the jail at Bradford to the extent of \$8, were ordered to pay damages of \$4 each or serve an additional ten days each.

"On Saturday, June 28, at about 8:30 p.m., as a result of information received, I proceeded to East Gwillimbury on highway number 11," testified Provincial Constable Alex Ferguson. "On my arrival there I found Carduff on top of Ross, they were hitting each other. I no sooner separated them than they got together again. When I tried to get a car to take them to the lock-up, Ross and Holmes began fighting." The officer stated that he had to separate the fighters about eight or ten times.

"Where did this take place?" Crown Attorney N. L. Mathews, K.C., asked.

"About a mile from the River-view Inn," replied the witness.

"Was there much traffic?"

"Yes, there was a large crowd of people collected, and traffic was tied up considerably."

Asked if the fight was sufficient to cause a disturbance, the officer replied: "It certainly was, it was a very large disturbance. The men were loud and abusive. They had been drinking. Ross screamed at times."

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had broken the door of the cell and smashed a board or two in the main door."

Asked if they had anything to say, Mr. Carduff stated that they had spent 24 hours in the jail without any drinking water.

"You were only in jail about one and a half hours when you smashed the windows," commented the crown.

Constable Ferguson advised his worship that an attendant, although not continually at the jail, presented himself every so often. He said that the men did not ask him for water.

"What about you, Carduff, have you a record?" asked his worship.

"I never have been in trouble before," was the reply.

"These are good men to keep away from then," commented the magistrate.

A charge of failing to produce a commercial vehicle permit at the request of the police officer, against Canadian Breweries, Toronto, was dismissed when the driver of the truck explained that he had had a permit at the time but it had been lost among the glass and bottles when the truck he had been driving skidded into the ditch.

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"Did they say why they damaged the cell?" asked the crown.

"According to their statement they wanted to get out," replied the officer.

"Who told you they wanted to get out?" "Both Holmes and Carduff."

Provincial Constable Cecil F. Deane, who assisted Constable Ferguson in the arrest, and who was called to testify, stated: "Constable Ferguson left Bradford about 10:15 p.m., and at that time both Holmes and Carduff were asleep in the jail. Following a complaint at 11:30 p.m., I returned to the jail and found two benches smashed and the window and stove-pipe broken. I locked one of the defendants in a cell and when I returned later I found that he

had the beer all frothed up

POLICE COURT

Manslaughter Charges

Adjourned Till Aug. 12

"You can drink that stuff in your own home but not outside," Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe told Ross Campbell Baines, Toronto, in Newmarket police court on Tuesday. The defendant pleaded guilty to having liquor illegally in his car at Musselman's Lake.

County Constable Ronald Watt told his worship that on June 23 he came upon Mr. Baines drinking in his car.

The defendant said that he had not as yet taken a drink when the officer interrupted him.

"I had the beer all frothed up

and I intended taking a drink," he stated.

"Only the police officer got there too quickly for you," commented the magistrate.

"Yes, I guess so," replied Mr. Baines. He was fined \$10 and costs.

His worship bound Harry Muir and Thomas Wright, Toronto, in the sum of \$2,000 to appear in police court on Aug. 12 to answer charges of manslaughter.

The charge is that they "by wilful misconduct while driving an automobile on the ninth concession (of Whitchurch) did unlawfully cause the death of James Thomas (of Toronto)." Constable Robert Windsor investigated the accident, which happened on July 7.

Gordon McLeod, Newmarket military camp, was fined \$10 and costs or ten days for failing to have a 1941 driver's license and \$2 and costs for not having lights on his car.

"On June 21, in the township of Whitchurch, I stopped a car driven by the accused," testified Provincial Constable Alex Ferguson. "There were no lights on the car and when I asked the driver to show me his driver's license he handed me a 1940 permit."

"What excuse did he give me for not having proper lights?" asked the magistrate.

"He said that they went out on him," replied the officer. "He knew that they were out."

Thomas Senior, Thornhill, who pleaded not guilty to a charge of careless driving on north Yonge and Avenue Road, was fined \$5 and costs or ten days in jail and had his driver's license taken away.

Joseph Orr, Richmond Hill, who was working on the road at the time of the accident, testified that he saw the car pass the burner which was being used to loosen the pavement. He stated that he believed the driver was trying to avoid the smoke and fire from the burner which was "crossways on the road."

"The car swerved on the road towards the ditch," he stated. "It travelled in a zig-zag manner about 150 feet, crossed a ditch and over a bank."

Constable Ferguson, who investigated, stated: "On June 20, I arrived at the scene of an accident at about 1:30 p.m. and found the car driven by Thomas Senior in an accident. Mrs. Senior was injured considerably. Mr. Senior was injured and suffered from shock. They were both taken to the Wellesley hospital."

Asked to give his story the defendant said that he and his wife were on their way to Toronto and that he was driving at about 30 miles an hour.

"As I came to the place where men were working, I had a dizzy spell," he stated. "I don't know what happened until I came to after the accident."

"Are you subject to spells?" asked his worship.

"No," was the reply. "This is the first. I am 65 years of age. I have been driving a long time and this is the first time I have been in police court."

"I recommend that you do not drive any more," advised Magistrate Woodliffe. "A person that is subject to spells should not be driving. Your driver's permit will be returned to the department."

Because he drove his truck, with trailer attached, at a speed of 60 miles an hour, Albert Fry, Toronto, was fined \$10 and costs.

"The trailer at the high speed was whipping considerably," stated Constable Ferguson. "I had received complaints and had been watching this trailer for some time."

A charge of careless driving on June 22 against William Wilson, Toronto, was dismissed.

"I think this is a case which should go to the civil court and we decided there," stated the magistrate.

Milton Thoburn, Richmond Hill, driver of a car going south on Yonge St., which was involved in an accident with the defendant's car, testified that he had been returning from Bond Lake at the time of the accident.

Questioned by Joseph Vale, who was acting in place of Crown Attorney N. L. Mathews, K.C., Mr. Thoburn stated: "We were proceeding south on Yonge St., and I had to make a left-hand turn into the driveway of my sister's home. Before coming to Hall's gas station, north of Elgin Mills, I cut into the centre lane and when I came to the station I looked through the rear-vision mirror and put my hand out. I was just going to make the turn when a car came along and collided with my car." He did not know where the car came from.

Cross-examined by Defence Counsel Kenneth Stiver, the witness stated that at the time of the accident he had in his car his wife, his sister, brother-in-law and two children. The mirror was situated in the centre of the car.

Arthur Ellis, Elgin Mills, brother-in-law of the former witness, stated that he did not see the Wilson car coming from behind.

"On June 22 at about 5:45 p.m. I arrived at the scene of the accident," testified Constable Ferguson. "I found a car driven by William Wilson with its front end embedded in a tree on the east side of the road. I also found a car driven by Milton Thoburn between two trees on the east side of the road. Both cars were a total wreck. I followed marks from the Wilson car. There were tire burns for 40 feet."

In his defence, Mr. Wilson stated that he had been driving to Toronto. "I was just proceeding to pass Mr. Thoburn. When I was almost behind his back fender, I honked my horn just as he put out

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spent by the many ladies present.

Mrs. Stanley Sheppard won the first prize of a pair of crystal candle-holders and candles and Mrs. J. Farr of Sharon the consolation prize, a small relish dish.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sutton and Rita of Mimico are spending a few days at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Wm. Keffer.

Mrs. Gloria Webster spent a

a few days last week with her

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Webster.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Withrow of

Toronto spent Sunday at the

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Doan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keffer, Miss

Kathy Keffer, Mrs. George Sutton

and Miss Rita Sutton spent Sun-

day at Lake Simcoe.

Mr. Vance Webster of Toronto

spent Sunday with his parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anning motored to Oshawa for the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould, Oli-

ver, Burton and Barbara, spent

the holiday weekend in Sudbury.

Mr. Aubrey Hamon of Toronto

is holidaying in this district.

Glenville

Misses Joan and Ruth Deavitt of Pembroke are visiting at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deavitt.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Cannon of Toronto were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Milligan on Sunday.

Miss Amy Gibson visited Mrs. E. Gibson on Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Edwards spent the weekend in Toronto.

Hope

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson and Nancy, from White Plains, N.Y., Mrs. Bauers and Miss Jean Boyd, Brooklyn, N.Y., are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. B.

Mr. Herbert Tansley spent the weekend in Toronto and attended the drumhead service at Riverdale Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Auley Brenair, Joyce, Doris and Bill, spent Sunday in Toronto attending the drumhead service at Riverdale Park.

Miss Doris MacKay, Toronto, and Mr. Jas. Fountain, Sharon, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Pegg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, Shirley and Ronald, Miss Steele and Mrs. Mathieson of Toronto, spent the holiday at the Tansley home.

Mr. Leslie Dyer spent Sunday with his sister at Zephyr.

The W.A. meeting and supper held at the home of Mrs. Robert Stickwood on Thursday was very well attended.

Mrs. J. Davis, Gordon and Jacqueline, Mrs.

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Last week's accurate puzzlers numbered 28, and there were a few more with slight errors, or which arrived late, which eliminated them from the draw.

This week's winners of the five double passes to the Strand theatre for either next Tuesday's or next Thursday's show are: Miss Rose Lee, Newmarket, Miss Betty Beckett, Newmarket, Wm. R. Fairbank, R.R. 2, Queensville, Mrs. J. McBride, Newmarket, and Mrs. H. McCordick, Newmarket. They may obtain their passes any evening at the theatre.

The correct answers for the ten words were: reliable, overhauled, suitcase, grain, pounds, tires, wages (or pages), rockery, balcony, ready (or trade).

Five more double passes will be given to winners of this week's contest, answers for which must reach The Era by Tuesday morning at 9:30 D.S.T. These passes will be to see Charlie Grapewin in "Tobacco Road," and Kay Francis and Jas. Ellison in "Play Girl," on Tuesday, July 22, or Jack Holt in "The Great Swindle," and another feature picture, on Thursday, July 24.

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

Although we haven't changed the coupon, the answer to this week's contest is just one word. There are ten letters in the word, and you can use the coupon anyway you please to send in the answer. Here we go:

My first is in carriage but not in baby,
My second in telephone but not in highway,
My third in barns but not in house,
My fourth in house but not in barn,
My fifth in horses but not in cattle,
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For rent—Garage to rent at 34 Millard Ave., Newmarket. \$1.50 per month. Apply Mrs. Robert Graves, 24 Millard Ave. *3w21

For rent—6-roomed cottage at Lake Simcoe for August. Also cabins at \$1 per day. Apply A. Trivett, Newmarket. c2w23

For rent—Large front room. Furnished. Apply 10 Niagara St. c3w23

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7 p.m.—Evangelistic service with song service preceding.

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11 a.m.—"LUTHER AND THE GREAT REFORMATION"

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Church of England

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Sunday, July 13, 1941

The services on Sunday will be taken by Rev. Frank Brunton, rector at Bradenton, Florida. Services are at 8:30 a.m., 11 a.m., and 7 p.m.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, July 13, 1941

The Christian church congregation will worship in Trinity church during July with Rev. A. E. Runnels, the preacher, in charge.

11 a.m.—"THE TEMPTATION"

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweetie of Newmarket wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ethel, to Mr. Leonard Wellington Selby, son of Mrs. W. B. Selby and the late Mr. Selby of Sharon, the marriage to take place July 19.

Rev. Dr. A. E. Runnels performed the ceremony.

WEDDINGS

ROBERTSON - TENCH

In Toronto on July 4, by Rev. Joseph Wasson of Calvin Presbyterian church, Edith Anne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Tench, Newmarket, to Dr. Ralph Braking Robertson of Collingwood.

GIRLS DO WELL IN THEORY OF MUSIC EXAMS

Miss Jean Stevens passed her Toronto Conservatory of Music Grade II theory examination at the recent midsummer examinations, with first class honors. Miss Viola Johnson passed her Grade III harmony and history examination and Miss Florence Tucker passed her Grade IV history with honors.

They are music pupils of Mrs. George Wood of Pine Orchard. Other successful music pupils were listed last week.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Mrs. R. A. Helmer of New Minnedale is visiting her mother, Mrs. Annie Ough, and Mrs. Ough's brother, Mr. T. E. Gray, of Hooksett, N.H., who is here on a visit. She is also visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Selby, of Sharon.

—Dr. George Runnels, medical superintendent of the United church hospital, Hafford, Sask., with Mrs. Runnels, and their daughter, Ruth, have been guests of Dr. Runnels' brother, Dr. A. E. Runnels, at the parsonage. They are on a motor trip to Montreal.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bell and children are holidaying in Ottawa.

—Miss Vera Elliott of Ottawa is a guest of Mrs. Arnold Molneaux.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. Woolven visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Woolven, of Sudbury, last week.

—Mrs. F. Eakins and Mr. Howard Eakins visited Mrs. Eakins' nephew, Mr. Herman Miron, and Mrs. Miron, Sudbury, last week, and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Woolven and Mr. Eric Gardener of Sudbury and Mrs. Eakins' niece, Mrs. Leo LeBlanc, and Mr. LeBlanc, North Bay. On their way home they saw the quints.

—Miss Marion Hall of Toronto is spending her vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hills.

—Rev. F. M. Brunton and Mrs. Brunton of Bradenton, Florida, arrived in town last Saturday to spend their vacation with Mrs. Brunton's mother, Mrs. T. O. Townley, Church St.

—Mrs. J. C. Chichester and son, of New York City, visited Mrs. Chichester's father, Mr. Ed. Young, on Sunday, en route to spend holidays in Muskoka.

—Miss Florence Lavender is spending a week's holidays visiting her mother in Weston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meads have returned home after spending a week's holidays at Lake Rosseau.

—Mrs. Lloyd Cowieson of Toronto spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Proctor, Arden Ave.

—Mrs. R. Helmer and her sister, Mrs. W. B. Selby, of Sharon, visited Mrs. Selby's daughter, Mrs. Dora Sofford, and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Selby, of Toronto, on Tuesday.

—Mrs. J. Lee and family have returned home after spending a week at Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. Glen Wentworth, Mr. and Mrs. M. Schrank and Miss Margaret Schrank were weekend guests of Mrs. J. Lee and family at Lake Simcoe.

—Miss Audrey Fisher of Stayner is visiting her cousins, Miss Marion Rose and Miss Helen Brown.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gladman leave on Saturday for week's visit with their son, Tel. Joseph Gladman, at Halifax.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hellam spent last week in Hamilton, the guests of Mrs. James Harg

AURORA

Social
AND
Personal

Miss Mary Harris of Cookstown spent the weekend in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Closs have returned home after a week's holidays at Wasaga Beach.

Miss Evelyn Taylor, R. N., spent the weekend with her father, Major W. H. Taylor.

Miss Elva Chrysler has returned home after a trip to Montreal.

Mr. George Spence spent the weekend in Toronto with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Locke, Jr.

Mrs. Leland Bryan and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gledhill are spending the summer months at Lake Simcoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Spence and family spent the weekend with Mrs. Spence's parents at Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bradbury and daughter, Lily, are spending their vacation at Mrs. Goulding's cottage at Waubausene.

Measles. Gordon Shankland and Harry Graham, employees of the Collis Leather Co., left on Saturday for Kirkland Lake.

Mr. W. J. Knowles is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Baines at the Royal Simcoe hotel, Keswick.

Master Graham Shankland is spending a few weeks' holidays with Master Jim Bryan at Lake Simcoe.

Misses Mae Cameron and Lillian Egan have returned home following a week's holidays at Lake Simcoe.

Mrs. William Powell, Miss Lottie Atkinson and Miss Joan Powell attended a shower on Friday night given in honor of Mrs. Howard Nelson, a bride of recent weeks, at the home of Mrs. J. T. Empreham, Bethesda. About 150 guests were present at the affair.

Master Earl King of Toronto is spending the week with Mrs. Howard Stoutt.

John Crisdale is spending a few weeks' holidays at Streetsville.

Lawrence Obie left for Collingwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Hobson and Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Scott, of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. M. Hulse.

Miss M. A. Anderson of Toronto spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. R. McKenzie.

Miss Ruby Marriott, of the staff of Mitchell high school, spent the weekend as the guest of Miss Bertha Andrews.

Mrs. Kirk, who is residing in Aurora, was visited over the weekend by her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirk, of Cleveland, Ohio. They also called on friends in Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas of Belleville spent Sunday with Mrs. Douglas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Banbury.

Mrs. Audrey Nelson and young son, of Kirkland Lake, are visiting Mrs. Nelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Duffield.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes of Islington spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richell.

Mr. W. P. Naughton, former Aurora resident, was in town last Friday.

Miss Mildred Graham and her sister, Miss Ethel Graham, R.N., of Toronto, left on Monday for a week's cruise to Manitoulin Island and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Long and Mr. James McGhee, Sr., are visiting at White River.

Mr. Delbert Hill, former Aurora resident, was in town on Monday.

Mr. Howard Bunn spent a day last week visiting relatives at Bracebridge.

Miss Vivian Quinn is spending two weeks' holidays at Bala.

Mr. Robert McMahon of Toronto spent a few days this week with his sister, Miss Margaret McMahon.

Mr. Bruce VanLoon and son, Bill, of Toronto, are spending a few days with Mrs. VanLoon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Johnson and Ted Johnson left today for their cottage in the Georgian Bay district.

Mrs. David Judd and family of North Bay are visiting Mrs. Judd's mother, Mrs. W. Steadman.

Mrs. C. C. Macdonald and Luella and Cameron left on Wednesday to spend a short vacation with Mrs. Macdonald's father, Mr. Robert Reid, of Georgetown.

WITH THE SOLDIERS

Grant McCachen of the R.C.A.F., Trenton, spent the weekend at his home.

Frank Hill of the R.C.A.F., Manning pool, Toronto, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. A. Vines of the Q.O.R., Hamilton trade training centre, spent the weekend at his home.

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Walter Douglas of the R.C.A.F., Montreal, P.Q., spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Banbury.

Troopers Wilfred White, Gordon Long, Douglas McKenzie, Alf Cooper, Bert Dunham, Ervin Rank and William Waite, Jr., of the 1st Hussars, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at their homes.

Sgt. Chas. Rowe of the R.C.A.F., who has been spending his 14 days leave at home, left on Friday for Halifax. Sgt. Rowe, a recent graduate of Fingal, is specializing in wireless.

Pte. Theodore Bell of the Argyll-Sutherland Highlanders has been spending a few days at his home.

Riflemen Norman Elmer of the Queen's Own Rifles, Sussex, N.E., is visiting his family.

AURORA

COUNCIL ALSO DID

Passed general accounts amounting to \$2,155.32.

Heard Joseph McGhee re garage started prior to passing of building by-law and permitted him to complete construction of same with the proviso he use a fireproof roof.

Passed electric accounts of \$119.60.

Passed relief accounts for June amounting to \$77.74.

Received notice that county levy would amount to \$7,036.63 this year.

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SALVATION ARMY APPOINTS NEW WORKER

Lieut. N. Holder of Toronto has been appointed assistant to Capt. Elsie Harris at the local Salvation Army citadel. Lieut. Elsie Fleischer, who was the former assistant, has been transferred to Lunenburg, Nova Scotia.

TAKES SPECIAL COURSE

Pte. James Cook of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, Nainaimo Camp, B.C., former Aurora athlete, has been chosen to represent his regiment at a special mechanical training course at Lethbridge, Alta.

CUBS GO CAMPING

Ten members of the second Aurora Wolf Cub pack, under the leadership of Cubmaster Gordon French and C. C. Macdonald, spent an enjoyable weekend camping out on the property of S. P. Jarvis at Glenville. Swimming, hiking, Scouting and Cub games were enjoyed by the boys.

ENJOY WEEKEND TRIP

Over the weekend a group of Aurora and Toronto young people travelled by boat to Port Dalhousie, thence to Niagara Falls by bus and return.

Among those making the trip were Misses Clara McNab, Mabel Fisher, Effie Sheridan and Mary Douglas of Toronto, Stan Hart and Ken Fisher of Toronto and Clarence Fisher of Aurora.

AURORA MERCHANTS DEMAND RESTRICTIONS ON PARKING

"This district is rich in historic lore," Brother Dennis told The Era. "If you were to draw a line from the Humber River to Holland Landing down the valley of the Rouge to about Frenchman's Bay and then come along the lake front you would have a triangle of land as historic as any in Ontario."

"The water route from the Humber to Lake Simcoe was, of course, a most famous route to the north. The Rouge route was used to a lesser extent. Here, within a short distance of where we sit, Indians, fur traders, missionaries and soldiers came and went."

Young St. is pointed out, was begun by Governor John Graves Simcoe in 1794 and it took 45 days for a company of soldiers and bushmen to work their way from York Mills to Holland Landing.

"The present street is not strictly speaking, the same as it was, very winding, following the line of least resistance. There

will be a lot of Aurora people suffer, including some merchants if there is such a by-law."

"Who will enforce such a by-law?" asked Deputy-Reeve Sparks.

"We haven't enough police to do this properly," said Mayor Underhill.

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CALENDAR

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BOYS' BAND ASSISTS AT DECORATION SERVICE

The Aurora boys' band supplied the music at the annual decoration day services at Kettleby cemetery.

Rev. F. V. Abbott of Schomberg gave the main address, while also taking part were Rev. W. J. Burton of Kettleby and Rev. J. Gallo.

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GOES TO MARITIMES

Harry Cook of the R.C.A.F., St. Hubert's, P.Q., has been transferred to Moncton, N.B.

Mrs. William Brotherton is Mr. McGhee's sister.

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VIVIAN

STORM WASHES OUT DAM AT VIVIAN POND

A heavy rainstorm on Monday of last week caused the dam at Mr. Shackman's pond to be washed away.

The rain was a great help to crops and fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Armstrong, their son, Robert, and a friend, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacFayden and Donnie, all of Toronto, were visitors at Mr. John Mitchell's on July 1.

Quite a number from Vivian attended the evening session of the Bible conference held in the Aurora Gospel Tabernacle on July 1. All enjoyed the gospel messages brought by Mr. Helmer of Oshawa and Mr. Bentley of Toronto, also the messages in song brought by members of the different churches represented.

Mrs. S. Pollard and Stanley have gone to visit relatives in

Peterboro.

The ladies' meeting was held in the church on Wednesday afternoon, July 2. Mrs. Mulholland presided and gave a helpful talk from Math. 10:5-14. Several pairs of socks and a sweater had been completed and turned in for the Red Shield, also donations were received for the "box for Britain," which is being packed.

Mrs. Cutler provided lunch after the meeting.

Sadie Mulholland presided at the Young People's meeting, which was well attended, on Wednesday, July 2. Mr. John Mitchell brought the message of the evening. The opening prayer was offered by Mrs. Hood and a solo was sung by Mrs. J. Giles.

Misses Arlene Grose and Frances Hartley sang a duet and the meeting was closed with prayer by the president.

Friends and neighbors are very sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mr. G. O. Wright. Mr. Wright was taken to Toronto General Hospital on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. W. C. Troyer and Patsy, of Virginia, Ont., were calling on friends in the district last Friday.

The prayer meeting in the church on Friday evening was well attended. Lloyd Grose took charge and brought a fine message from the prophecy of Ezekiel.

Eugene Paisley of the R.C.A.F., Camp Borden, was home on Wednesday of last week.

Pte. Cyril Cutler and Miss Helen Cutler were home over the weekend.

A social evening was held on Mr. Morton's lawn on Saturday evening in aid of the British war victims' fund.

Quite a number attended the decoration service at Hartman cemetery on Sunday evening.

A splendid sermon was preached on Sunday evening from I Cor. 2: 1, 2, by Mr. Turner, father of Evangelist Turner of the U.S.A., who was also present with his wife, who sang a lovely solo during the service, accompanied by Mrs. Rowan at the piano.

Mrs. N. L. McCormack, Mr. Garnet McCormack and Miss Vivian McCormack visited Mrs. McCormack's sister, Mrs. John Mitchell, on Saturday.

Ravenshoe

The rains of last week were much appreciated as the crops were needing it badly.

The final wheat is ripening fast. Harvest will soon be here, and there is still quite a lot of hay to draw in.

The Ravenshoe Sunday-school last Sunday was very small. Please remember the change of time, Sunday-school is at 10:30 and the church service at 11:30, standard time, for the summer.

Misses Marion and Beth King are spending a week at Mountain Lake near Minden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marratt, Mr. Donald Marratt and a friend spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. King's.

Mr. Harold Bray spent last Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Russell Glover's.

Mr. Wm. Glover is still in the hospital. Friends hope for a change for the better.

Mrs. Wm. Crowder is feeling better again and is able to be in the store.

Oliver King is improving nicely after a serious accident.

The Free Methodist camp meeting will be held from July 18 to 27, at Holland Landing park. All are welcome at these meetings.

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BRIDE ATTENDED BY FOUR SISTERS

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wood visited their daughter, Mrs. G. Fox, in Toronto on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wauchope have moved to Woodbridge, where Misses Grace and Mary Wauchope have secured positions in the dye factory.

William Bailey had his car stolen on Tuesday morning, July 1, and no trace has been found of it yet.

Mr. A. Sommerville of Pottsville spent the weekend with his daughter, Mrs. H. Russell.

Miss Rachel Proctor spent the week in Barrie with her sister, Mrs. S. Fever.

Pte. Walter Aitchison was home from Brantford for a few days.

Mrs. J. Gould visited her daughter, Mrs. G. Edwards, recently.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the United church on Saturday at 1 p.m., when Miss Jean McKeown, the second daughter of Rev. and Mrs. McKeown here, was united in marriage to Mr. Scott of the R.C.A.F., Nova Scotia.

She was attended by her four sisters. Her father performed the ceremony. After a reception at the bride's home they left by motor to go to Nova Scotia, where Mr. Scott is stationed as an instructor.

PINE ORCHARD SCHOOL JR. PROMOTIONS LISTED

The last year's work and examinations in the junior room at Pine Orchard school, S. S. No. 4, Whitechurch, indicate that the grades one to six, on Sept. 2, 1941, should be as follows, it is announced by the teacher, Miss Olive Bostwick, (names in alphabetical order):

Grade I: John Ashcroft, Donny Breen, Ronny Breen, Dorothy Brillinger, Beth Johnston, Murray Lehman, Barbara Shropshire, Barbara Wicke.

Grade II: Freddie Brunii, Franklin Lehman, Harold Hutchinson, Bobbie Sproxton, Glenna Woodhouse.

Grade III: Lois Brillinger, Peggy Calvert, Aletha Woodhouse.

Grade IV: Joyce Brillinger, Caroline Bruni, Joan McKnight, Joyce Pyle, Richard Punshan, Ollie Rawluk, Herbie Sproxton, Alvin McKnight.

Grade V: Ronny Calvert, Murray Rose, Lorne Shropshire (rec.).

Grade VI: June Brillinger, Harry Rawluk, June Rose, Bill Ireland (rec.).

Mr. W. MacKinnon of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oliver and daughter, Beth, of Saskatchewan, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall and Alice, of Sharon, Mrs. Norman Woon and Donny, of South Porcupine, visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allan and Miss Aletta Widdifield on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dike, Delbert and Billy, attended the Dike reunion at Mount Albert on Tuesday of last week.

The Pine Orchard Institute meeting will be held next Wednesday, July 16, at Mrs. Gordon McClure's. The meeting is at 2 p.m., standard time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turnbull of Port Huron visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard McClure and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allan and Miss Aletta Widdifield last week.

Jean Stevens visited in Gravenhurst over the weekend.

Readers are asked not to forget the ball game at Pine Orchard on Friday night, July 11. Willow Beach will play Pine Orchard.

Eversley

There has been no service held in Eversley Presbyterian church for the last two Sundays, as Rev. Mr. Atkinson, the pastor, has been very ill. He is now convalescing nicely at the home of Mrs. Gellatly, King, with Mrs. Atkinson in attendance. He hopes to be able to resume his duties by next Sabbath.

Mrs. Charles Bennington of Newmarket visited her aunt, Mrs. Gellatly, part of last week, returning home on Sunday.

The strawberry and raspberry season overlapped at the end of the strawberry season. Rain is badly needed for all crops, and especially for the raspberries just now.

Miss Lillian Crossley, noted Toronto singer, with a friend, Mrs. Thompson, and her father, Mr. Henderson, of Toronto, called on Miss A. A. Ferguson on July 1.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. A. Ferguson and infant son, Michael John, spent a couple of days at "Scots Wha Hae" last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson helped with the out-of-door farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atkinson and Mrs. Jennie Jenkins visited their friend, Miss Ferguson, last Sunday.

Miss June Mesley, daughter of Captain the Rev. Frank Mesley, took ill about midnight on Saturday night, June 28. She was rushed to York county hospital, Newmarket, and operated on at once for appendicitis. Miss Mesley is now making a good recovery.

PICTURES WANTED

Interesting pictures of Newmarket, Aurora and district people will be appreciated by The Era.

DOWN THE CENTRE

Military Camp have had a shake-up in their softball team with the removal of certain troops to other centres and only three of their starting team remain, in the persons of Niles, Gantner, the second baseman, and Menzies. These three were the pick of the originals and are good enough to catch a place anywhere.

Remember Harry King? You hardball fans of over fifteen years ago will well recall the name as that of Aurora's ace hurler of that period. Well, Harry was in town a few weeks ago and is now located in California, married with a family and doing right well for himself as a chartered accountant.

King, who originally came from near Bradford, was a regular warhorse for work, and possessed a nice fastball, good control and a fair assortment of curves. He was a very serious performer and never went down without a fight. On more than one occasion he filled in as an outfielder or infielder too. While lacking the style of Hec Gordon, he was a favorite with both fans and players in a day when Aurora could hold its own with the best intermediate teams in the district.

Lorne Ramsay deserves an orchid or two for the fine brand of unipiring he is serving up in the York-Simcoe league these days. The Sharon boy, who is located here with an oil company, is a real student of the game and knows the rules from A to Z. He refuses to be rattled in the least by opposing fans or players and hands out his decisions impartially.

Unipiring, as we have reason to know, is a pretty thankless job, but when we see a good job being done we think it merits a few words of praise. Ramsay, who has followed the game as a player and fan for years, got some mighty useful experience as an arbiter in northern Ontario and all around the circuit he has made a fine impression.

Wes. Heaney, veteran Aurora outfielder, is beginning to find his batting punch again, which has been sadly lacking for over a year. "Little Julius" has belted out a couple of four-ply punches in his most recent games and boosted his average to over the .300 figure, all of which is a healthier sign for the Simmons clan. Heaney always was a classy fielder, but last year got into the habit of biting at off-the-corner pitches, which meant he popped up to infielders and seldom drew a walk. With his size he makes an ideal lead-off man and if he continues to wait for the pitch and then really let go it won't be long until he resumes his place as one of the stand-out players in the group.

evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Houghton at Cookstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Kayser and family of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. Kayser's mother, Mrs. Erickson.

Mrs. Wiggle and son of Toronto are visiting Mrs. Forrest.

Mr. and Mrs. Fizzell of Toronto called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shanks on Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Williams visited her family in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cole of Woodbridge called on Mr. and Mrs. John Jarvis on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fishwick of Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Walton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bevyn and Miss Shirley Robinson of Toronto were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams on Sunday.

The Gould reunion picnic was held at Becton park on July 1. There were over 100 present, coming from Toronto, Schomberg, Palgrave, Aurora, and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woods and family of Linton and Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Paton of Laskay spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton.

A number from around here attended the garden party at Schomberg on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes and son of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Archibald.

Mrs. Leonard Evans and family spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Silas Groombridge.

Miss Hattie Cutting of Toronto was home over the weekend with her mother.

Mr. Earle Davis of Midland spent the weekend with Mrs. C. W. Bostwick and family.

Miss Ruth Willis of Toronto was at home for the weekend.

Vendorf school annual picnic was held at Preston Lake on Friday afternoon. Swimming, ball and races were all enjoyed.

Betty Preston read an address to Roy King expressing on behalf of the pupils their keen regret that he was leaving them, wishing him a happy future and asking him to accept a wrist-watch as a remembrance and token of their appreciation.

Dorothy Eade presented the gift.

Mr. King gave a very fine speech from Toronto were among the guests.

UNION STREET

Union Street, July 3.—The pupils of S. S. No. 8 gave their teacher, R. McGillivray, a surprise party on Thursday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodward of Norval called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Archibald on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Paton and son called on Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Hill on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Emmerson and sons of Nobleton called on Mr. and Mrs. Dan Emmerson on Sunday.

A number from here attended the decoration service at Kettleby cemetery last Sunday.

Mrs. Payne of Toronto and Mr. Eddie O'Brien of Newmarket spent the weekend with Mr. Ed. O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Lockie of Zephyr visited at the home of Mr. F. Smith on Sunday.

Mrs. Saenger spent a few days

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SCOTT TOWNSHIP TOWNSHIP'S PATRIOTIC LEVY SET AT \$1,429

The regular monthly meeting of Scott township council was held at the township hall on Saturday afternoon, with all members present.

Communications were read from Ford Lapp, with the school attendance report for May; from the deputy minister of municipal affairs regarding unemployment insurance, and from R. G. Glen-dinning with a funeral account.

Miss McKay, county treasurer, sent a statement of arrears of taxes to be added to the collector's roll this year.

County Clerk Ruddy sent a statement of county equalization of assessment rolls, also the county levy on this township as follows: general purposes, \$7,149.50; county home, \$1,143.92; county roads, \$3,840.14; suburban roads, \$192.18; schools, \$4,272.96; patriotic purposes, \$1,429.88. He also sent

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HAVING ACTIVITIES

The heavy rains of Monday have delayed the hay-making. Some will be cutting wheat this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moulds and Isabelle, accompanied by Miss Iva Stiles, visited in Markham on Sunday at the home of Mr. Warren Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Elliot of Agincourt had Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. Max Stiles.

The Young People's meeting last Friday night at the home of Stanley White was well attended. Miss Marjorie White, who has been suffering from quinsy, is better.

Mrs. Everett Yorke and Claude had Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. Bernard Davidson.

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John Marwood, Newmarket, 11 years old on July 11

Prizewinners this week are:

Allen Jackson, Newmarket, Doris Jordan, Newmarket, Wallace Squires, Newmarket, Carl Longfield, Newmarket, and Twila Seyler, Sutton West.

They will be admitted free to the Saturday matinee at the Strand theatre.

A number of other club members, including a new member, John Stickwood, Sharon R.R. 2, also submitted correct answers.

The correct answer was: "Go to headquarters at 1534 Centre Avenue. Look for tall bearded man."

We would like to have some letters from club members, of whom there are now 66. This week we have the following letter from Twila Seyler, Sutton: "I am a new member of your club. I was nine years old May 18. I got my mummy to write this as she can write faster than me, only I am telling her what to put down. I like the contest stories and hope to get a pass to the show sometime."

Well, Twila, you get your pass this week. If you can't get to the Strand this Saturday, your invitation will still be good on the following Saturday. Just tell them who you are and they will be watching for you. Sorry there is no contest this week.

There will be no contest this week for members of the birthday club, and no prizes offered. Members are asked to draw the attention of their friends to the club, and have their friends send in their names, addresses and birthdays, so that they may receive congratulations when their birthdays come round.

Members are also invited to write letters to the club for publication. Letters should not be more than 200 words, and may be as short as you like. Tell the rest of the club how you are spending your holidays and what grade you will be in when school term comes again.

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THROWN FROM WAGON
BY RUNAWAY TEAM

Services in the United church on Sunday were well attended. Rev. Gordon Lapp preached at both services. Of special interest and help in the morning service was the solo, "The Stranger of Galilee," rendered in a very impressive manner by Robt. Bateman, leader of Temple Baptist choir in Windsor, Ont. Mr. Bateman was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peel.

On Sunday, at 11 a.m., the minister will preach on the sermon subject, "The Supreme Value of Motive." At the evening service the congregation will have Rev. Chas. A. McLaren, assistant minister at St. George's United church, Toronto, as guest preacher.

Mrs. Cecil Taylor, accompanied by Mr. Earl Stephens, visited friends in Tyrone, Ont., last weekend.

Benny Rubin returns to the screen after an absence of five years. He will be seen in Robert Montgomery's next comedy, "Heaven Can Wait."

"Five Men," a tense drama, said to be one of the most expensive British pictures ever made, has one of the most important casts ever assembled for a British picture, with Leslie Howard, Raymond Massey, Laurence Olivier and Anton Walbrook in the leading roles. The company travelled from England to Canada to make all location scenes for the picture, which tells the story of a group of Nazi submarine survivors, in their efforts to make their way across to Canada to safety in the United States. The working title of this film was "49th Parallel," and was made by Michael Powell, who made the outstanding "U-Boat 29."

We have just learned of a tour undertaken by George Formby throughout the entire blitzed area, with the object of raising fifty thousand pounds for air raid distress in these localities. The expenses are being paid by the star himself. He is also arranging a broadcast and will ask 40,000,000 listeners to subscribe a shilling each.

Rev. W. M. Chantler and Miss Chantler are visiting at Mr. Wm. Holborn's and attended church on Sunday.

C. Vaughan is confined to his bed, owing to illness.

Mrs. Duncan Houston, with Mavis, and a girl friend, of Islington, and Mrs. Kenneth Morton of Newmarket have been visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morton's.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Prosser and Mrs. J. H. Prosser motored to Wood Lake in Muskoka on Sunday, where Mrs. J. H. Prosser will remain for a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pedlar, of Toronto, former residents, were calling on friends during the week.

The Era will be mailed to soldiers for half the regular subscription price, that is, \$1 a year.

Mr. and Mrs. Selby Sedore.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadden of Vancouver visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Clarke, Jr., last week.

NORTH GWILLIMBURY
SUGGESTS ANTI-NOISE
BY-LAW TO COUNCIL

North Gwillimbury township council met at Belhaven on Monday. All the members were present.

Mr. Durant and Mr. Roworth of Indianola Beach waited on the council regarding some matters of interest to their subdivision.

Harry T. Babb discussed with the council the advisability of having an anti-noise by-law placed on the township books to give the police more authority in regulating disturbances at late hours. A. R. Morton placed a proposition for a public park before the members.

The statement of the county of York annual levy was received and showed a reduction of approximately \$400 as compared with the 1940 levy.

Accounts passed for payment included: Carl Morton, \$75; C. H. Vaughan, \$5; Newmarket Era, 70 cents; C. Scott, \$1; E. Winch, \$1.54; Dr. F. G. Pin, \$2; County of York, hospitalization, \$58.62; G. P. Mortimer, \$4.75; Thos. Sheppard, \$16; Geo. Willoughby, \$27.50; F. E. Rye, \$2.10; road voter No. 7, \$2,378.76.

Welfare accounts: E. P. Crittenden, \$31.84; F. Pugsley, \$4; Smith, \$7.80; York township, \$7.01; Chas. Pringle, \$14.08; Cook's Bakery, \$2.70; D. J. Davidson, \$44.07; Sam Hurwich, \$9.80; R. J. Stork, \$14.25; A. Wainick, \$8.80; Angus King, \$10; Angus King, trips to Toronto, \$10; Canada Bread Co., \$2.76.

The council was adjourned until the next regular meeting on Aug. 4.

NORTH GWILLIMBURY
Jersey Public School
Promotions Announced

Promotions in Jersey school, S. S. No. 1, North Gwillimbury, are announced by the teacher, Kenneth W. Hunter, as follows (names in alphabetical order):

Grade VI to Grade VII: Vivian Crate, Beth King, Eddie Huntley, Glen Sedore.

Grade V to Grade VI: Ruth Alder, Elmer Rye, Audrey Sedore, Elsie Sedore.

Grade IV to Grade V: Betty Alder, Donna Anderson, Frankie Cameron, Gordon Clark, John Crate, Alan Peters, Doris Pollock, Earl Werry.

Grade III to Grade IV: June Alder, Doreen Anderson, David Draper, Grace Huntley, Dorothy Rye, Ruth Sedore.

Grade II to Grade III: Glen Draper, Ruby Draper, Marvin Werry.

Grade I to Grade II: Leola Huntley, Ruth Mary Peters, Lorine Sedore, Marion Sturdy.

NORTH GWILLIMBURY
NO BATHERS WANTED
IN BEAUTY CONTEST

Plans are now completed for the big garden party, sponsored by the Red Cross Society of North Gwillimbury, which is being held on the beautiful grounds surrounding the summer home of Mrs. L. A. Howard, Poplar Pt., Keswick, on Thursday afternoon, July 17.

It will commence at 4 o'clock, when afternoon tea will be served. There will be booths of all sorts. The event will continue throughout the evening when there is to be a beauty contest for all women between the ages of 15 to 80. Contestants are to be dressed in everyday attire. No bathing suits or shorts will be allowed in the contest.

Bingo and other games will be played as well as dancing on the lawn, to the accompaniment of a good orchestra. Parking space will be provided on the S. B. Sheppard property. Hot dogs, ice cream, etc., will be available on the grounds. A good attendance is earnestly asked for, as the funds will go towards the Red Cross bomb victims' fund.

The Sunday-school picnic of the United church was held last Thursday to Jackson's Point. A large crowd attended. Races, games and a full table of goodies rounded out the program.

Mr. Alex. Anger and family spent the weekend at Mr.

IS WITH NAVY**MAPLE HILL****Minister Conducts Vacation Bible School**

The congregation was pleased to welcome some summer visitors on Sunday at Maple Hill church, also two little girls who have been absent from Sunday school for some time, owing to illness.

Prayer meeting this week joined with the women's prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Melville Wright. The pastor, Mr. McAsh, is conducting a vacation Bible school each Wednesday morning from 9 to 11 o'clock, S.T. All children are cordially invited.

The Sunday-school picnic will be held next Thursday, July 17, at Jackson's Point.

Mr. McAsh spent a few days last week in Toronto.

Joan Allan of Toronto is spending her holidays at the home of Mr. Calander and attending Maple Hill Sunday school.

Mrs. Ardell of Toronto visited at the home of Mr. Harry Knights last week.

They will spare no effort to give good value and good service.

It may be a matter of getting the job out quickly, or of helping with the wording and design, or it may just be the doing of an attractive printing job that will achieve its purpose.

Finally, the price will be right or better than right!

There is a price-list to cover many standard jobs, and these prices are always low in relation to the quality of paper and the quality of workmanship.

There are other jobs that do not fall into price-lists. Whether you ask for a quotation in advance or not, you get a consistently close and attractive price.

Miss Julia Madill has returned home from a visit to Leaskdale. Mr. Ted Meyers was home last Sunday.

Thomas Lott's. Mr. Anger and Frank Lott returned to Windsor, but Mrs. Anger, Doreen Lott and the children are remaining for a longer period.</

MOUNT ALBERT FORMER LOCAL COUPLE ARE WED 50 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Pegg and family of Caledonia were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. Pegg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wilson.

Miss Mina Oliver of Toronto has been holidaying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver.

Fred Franklin, who has been working at the munitions plant at Pickering, is home on sick leave, having injured his knee.

Congratulations are extended to two former residents of Mount Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Sloan, now of Flesherton, who recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Mr. Sloan kept store here some years ago in the Ross block.

Mrs. Forrest has returned home after a visit with her nephew, Mr. Winston Cunningham, at Quebec.

A rather fierce electrical storm passed over this part on Monday and some places were washed badly by rain, just north of the village. Huge hail-stones fell, but, there not being any wind, did no damage. The rain was badly needed.

MOUNT ALBERT

Mishaps Deprive Farmer Of Help Of Two Sons

Mount Albert, July 3.—The Dike family held their annual reunion on Tuesday, July 1, at the home of Albert Dike. Games and sports were held over in the park and very enjoyable afternoon was spent by about 70 members of the family. Albert Dike was the oldest member present and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Dike's baby was the youngest.

Two sons of Robt. Harrison on the townline met with accidents recently, which has put them out of the working class for some weeks. Donald fell off a load of hay and broke his right arm and Kenneth tripped while leading a steer that got rather wild and sprained his ankle badly, so both boys are having a rather unpleasant holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gibney, Mr. and Mrs. M. McShane, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr and Mr. A. Madill attended the Orange

MOUNT ALBERT FORMER MT. ALBERT LADY DIES AT 96

A former resident of Mount Albert passed away last week after a short illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kerslake, at Elgin, Man., in the person of Mrs. Geo. Haigh, a very wonderful old lady, who, if she had lived till September, would have been 97 years old.

Mrs. Haigh was one of the family of 12 children of Mr. and Mrs. William Mainprize and was

born on the farm now occupied by Mrs. Scott Crone on the Centre Rd.

Her husband, George Haigh, carried on the woolen mills at Mount Albert for many years, and after retiring from business, purchased the farm on the hill now occupied by S. Harper, where he died in 1910, and where Mrs. Haigh lived till 1913. Then she went to Manitoba to make her home.

She was always a very faithful worker in the former Methodist church, especially in the W.M.S., and all her years were blessed with very good health and she retained all her faculties to the end of her long life. She raised a family of seven children, who are all living. Corb. and Will, Souris, Man.; Emma (Mrs. Kerslake), Elgin; May (Mrs. Ross), Winnipeg; Mel, Vancouver; Ethan, Queensville, and Ed., Mount Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Loach, Miss Dorothy Stokes and Mr. Donald Degeer of Toronto were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stokes.

The annual cemetery decoration service will be held on Sunday, July 13, at 2:30 p.m., E.S.T., when Rev. A. E. Armstrong, D.D., of Toronto, will be the guest speaker. Rev. R. V. Wilson of Mount Albert United church will be in charge of the service and an Uxbridge male quartet will sing. If it rains this service will be held in the United church.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walsh were Mrs. W. A. Grose, Agnes and Elmer, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. N. Grose, Thornton.

Miss Beth Theaker passed her grade V Toronto Conservatory of Music examinations. She is a pupil of Miss Elizabeth Leek. Other successful pupils were listed last week.

MOUNT ALBERT

Mount Albert Will Hold Big "12th" Celebration

Saturday, July 12, will be a memorable day for Mount Albert Loyal Orange Lodge, when they will be hosts to a great many other lodges to celebrate their 51st anniversary. There will be prizes for the largest ladies' and gentlemen's lodges and the oldest Orangeman present and many other valuable prizes given away throughout the day and evening. There will be all kinds of sports and ball games and several prominent speakers, along with a full program for the afternoon, and in the evening a dance. Meals will be served by the W.A. of the United church.

The Mount Albert unit of the Red Cross this week packed the following articles: one man's overcoat, one man's suit and one large quilt for refugees; two baby quilts, three pairs seamen's socks, 11 pairs socks, one lady's sweater with sleeves, one lady's sweater without sleeves, one boy's sweater, three seamen's

sweaters, three sleeveless sweaters, 10 helmets, one lady's scarf;

Seven seamen's scarves, two pairs ladies' gloves, seven pairs grey whole mitts, one pair khaki mitts, two shirtwaists, one child's kimono, one pair child's socks, two baby dresses and two slips, powder and pins, one pair soakers, one pair bootees, one bonnet and one hug-mug.

QUEENSVILLE RED CROSS TEA AND BAKING SALE NETS \$70

The Queensville Red Cross afternoon tea and home-baking sale held recently at the home of Mrs. Jas. Denne was a big success, over \$72 being made.

The following articles were sent from Queensville branch: 21 pairs soldiers' socks, one scarf, six pairs mitts, three baby sweaters, two pairs seamen's socks, three cot quilts, one baby jacket, bonnet and one pair of bootees; six helmets, three large quilts, three suits pyjamas, two boys' suits, four-year size, and one child's dress.

Quite a large number of people attended the communion service in the United church last Sunday morning.

Mrs. Briggs of Sharon called on several friends in the village last Thursday.

Word has been received from Biggar, Sask., that Harry Wright, a former resident of Queensville, is very ill.

Mrs. W. A. Doan was visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Eves, a few days last week. Mrs. Doan is 94 years old and enjoys good health. She intends making her home with her granddaughter, Mrs. Harry Smith.

Miss Lizzie Turner is spending her holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. Henry.

Other summer visitors are Miss Irwin and Miss Lee at Mrs. J. T. Cowieson's, and Mr. Garth Legge at George Pearson's. Friends are pleased that Garth is able to walk again after being in a cast for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone Marritt of Hamilton called on Mrs. Ayward, Sr., and Mrs. Muncey on Sunday evening. Mrs. Marritt was formerly Miss Neelands and taught in Queensville school some years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Waite and children are spending the summer at their old home in Queensville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sennett of Detroit are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Silas Sennett's.

Mrs. Frank Milne is spending a couple of weeks at Thurstonia Park, near Lindsay.

The much-needed rain came on Monday and with it came much cooler weather, which is a great relief from the terrific heat of the past week.

PEASANTVILLE BIBLE SCHOOL CLOSING EXERCISES ARE FRIDAY

The Pine Orchard vacation Bible school, which is being held at the Union church, started on Monday morning with a good attendance. The community in general is invited to attend the closing exercises at the church on Friday evening.

The Willing Workers quilting and picnic, which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. Needler on Wednesday, July 9, has been postponed to July 30, and will be held at Mrs. Needler's home.

The monthly meeting of the Institute will be held on Wednesday, July 16, at the home of Mrs. Gordon McClure. George Leary, deputy-reeve of Whitelock, will be the guest speaker. The roll-call will be answered by "A collection for the war victims' fund."

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Mrs. G. McClure, Miss Dora McClure and Master Murray McClure spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. A. Richardson, Aurora.

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SHARON SUNDAY-SCHOOL PICNIC WILL BE HELD JULY 16

TOWN WINS IN CLOSE GAME WITH SPECIALTY

By BOB BENVILLE

Sharon United church Sunday-school picnic will be held on Wednesday, July 16, at Jackson's Point park. A truck will be at Fry's store at 12:30 p.m., S.T., for those who care to go. All are invited to bring their baskets and come along and enjoy the picnic with the children.

On Sunday, July 20, there will be no United church service, but on Sunday, July 27, the service will be at 11 a.m. with Pte. Harold Cornish of the Newmarket military camp in charge of the service, and Queensville church in charge of the music.

The Parker family spent the weekend visiting relatives at Minden, Mrs. Jas. Parker and Mrs. Black remaining for a week. Professor Clyde Dankert, Mrs. Dankert and children of Hanover, N.H., are spending some time with Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Tena Trigger and Miss Ann Wells of Peoria, Ill., also Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wells of Bloomington, Ill., were guests of Mrs. Kenneth Somerville on Wednesday.

The Red Cross garden party is being held on Friday, July 25, at Sharon park. A bountiful supper will be given and a good program will follow.

Mrs. Merton Shaw of Hamilton spent the weekend with Miss Nora Shaw.

Kettleby

Miss Jean Archibald has been spending the last few weeks visiting relatives in Toronto.

Miss Frances Walton is spending a few holidays in Milton, the guest of Miss Beth Dolly.

Over 100 guests attended the Davis clan reunion held at the home of Mrs. Frank Davis last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Fogarty and family, and friends of Detroit, Mich., spent the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Geer and family of Newmarket spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wilson and Frances and Mr. and Mrs. G. McKaig, Dunkerton, had tea on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Heacock.

Among the people who attended Kettleby decoration services were Mrs. W. H. Curtis and family of Port Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Johnson of Britannia and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jamieson of Palermo.

The United church is holding its annual picnic at Bayview Beach on July 15. The program of sports will be in the charge of the W.A.

Kettleby

Miss Mary McDonald of Ceylon is at home for her holidays.

Mrs. H. A. Switzer and Miss Audrey Switzer returned Monday from a trip to Vancouver.

Wesley church congregational picnic was held at Island Grove on Tuesday.

Wesley Y.P.U. are holding a social evening at the home of Grant Morley on Thursday.

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IS CANADA LIFE DIRECTOR

This reporter has been asked by some of his readers to keep up the "swimming-pool for Newmarket" crusade which was begun a few years ago by the Newmarket Firemen and dropped after the first enthusiasm played out. Since persistency is supposed to be a good habit, I'll try to be persistent in efforts to get the ball rolling again. If we get the ball rolling fast enough, construction of a swimming-pool will be a reality and not just the pleasant dream of the past many years.

The people of a nation are supposed, in the final run, to be responsible for the kind of government they get. The German people, we say, are as responsible for the present chaotic condition of the world as is Hitler. If that is so then it stands to reason that the people of Newmarket are responsible for what kind of civic improvement they get; that is, if Newmarket is to get a swimming-pool, then it is the people of Newmarket and not just a few individuals who are going to get it for her.

It might be a good idea, if nothing is done this summer, in order to get an expression of opinion from the people to the electors on Dec. 1: "Do you favor the construction of a swimming-pool in Newmarket?"

If the opinion were favorable, encouragement would be given those who would take a leading part in getting a swimming-pool campaign under way. If the opinion were unfavorable, then we could drop the subject forever, or for some time anyway. What do you say, Newmarket?

AURORA
Students Will Receive Scholarship Awards

Carol McNaught and John Crydale headed first and second form classes respectively at Aurora high school, with Elizabeth Larkin as runner-up to Carol, and Hazel Connor as runner-up in second form. The four will receive special awards from the board.

CHURCH PARADE HELD BY ORANGE LODGES

On Sunday evening members of LOL 643, under the direction of Wor. Bro. William Mitgate, and Queen Mary L.O.S.A., under the direction of Wor. Sis. N. Higgins, paraded via Wellington and Victoria Sts. to the Salvation Army citadel where they heard an inspiring and timely address by Capt. Arnold Brown of Toronto.

Captain Harris and Lieut. Holder also took part in the service. Accompanying the Aurora lodges were visitors from King, Nobleton and Mount Albert. County Master Milton Gilroy of Holt was present. Rt. Wor. Bro. Major W. H. Taylor, who has not been in good health for the past few months, was well enough to take part in the parade.

ATTEND CAMP MEETING

A number of the Aurora B.Y.P.U. attended the moonlight camp meeting at Dawes Road Baptist church on Monday evening. Hot dogs and orangeade were served and a bonfire, community sing-song and a war film enjoyed.

CENSUS TAKERS ARE STILL AT WORK

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